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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

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For: METHOD OF CONFIGURING SIMULATION PROGRAM FOR COMPUTING AMOUNTS OF HEAT EXCHANGED AND STORAGE MEDIUM CONTAINING THE SIMULATION PROGRAM

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 4, 2008, reconsideration of the aboveidentified application is requested in view of the following remarks.